



Speak:
2nd marking period

ESSENTIAL QUESTION:

Predict why Melinda called the cops at Kyle Rodgers' party over the summer.

QUESTIONS:

Have you ever held something in that was difficult to discuss?

NOTES:

- Melinda has more trouble talking. She really really wants to tell her secret, 'to hand over the guilt and mistake and anger.'
- David stands up to Mr. Neck after Neck gives a 'racist, intolerant, and xenophobic' lesson.

How's your relationship with your parents? Explain

- Thanksgiving is a hilarious disaster.
- No turkey = order pizza
- David's family might sue Mr. Neck, so all of his classes are videotaped.
- Melinda is touched when her parents get her a sketchpad for Xmas, but still can't find her voice to thank them.

Predict: Why is Melinda so scared of Andy?

- Melinda faints in class when she flashes back to her secret. Her plan was to make herself forget by not talking about it. This is not working.
- Melinda has 2 more encounters with 'IT':
1- he calls her 'freshmeat'
2- he touches her hair in the cafeteria
She panics both times. 'IT' has a name: Andy Evans

SUMMARY:

Answer essential question here.